BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

On Appeal From Group Art Unit: 1756

Yasuo MATSUMURA et al.

Application No.: 10/658,811

Examiner:

C. RODEE

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Docket No.:

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For:

TONER FOR DEVELOPING ELECTROSTATIC IMAGES CONTAINING

SPECIFIED BINDER RESIN, PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME.

DEVELOPER FOR DEVELOPING ELECTROSTATIC IMAGES, AND IMAGE

FORMING METHOD

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that an Oral Hearing be held in this Appeal. Attached hereto is Check No. 186498 in the amount of \$1,000.00 in payment of the Hearing Fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 41.20((b)(3). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this request are enclosed.

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